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DECLARATION

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Diaza- or Thiazadione Derivatives with Neuroprotective Activity

| the specification (| of which (check one) |
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| | is attached hereto. or was filed on July 31, 2006 as United States Application Number 10/587,792. |

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint each practitioner associated with Customer No. 28,997 of Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C., my attorneys or agents to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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STATEMENT OF MARIA LUZ LOPEZ-RODRIGUEZ UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d)(1)

I, MARIA LUZ LOPEZ-RODRIGUEZ, hereby state:

- I am a named inventor together with BELLINDA BENHAMU SALAMA, ISABEL MARCO MARTINEZ, JOAQUIN DEL RIO ZAMBRANA and DIANA FRECHILLA MANSO in International Patent Application No. PCT/EP2005/000840, of which the above referenced application represents U.S. national entry under 35 U.S.C. §371.
- 2. I understand that a determination of inventorship of the invention as presently claimed in the above referenced application has been made by U.S. counsel, and that as a result I am an inventor of the above referenced application under U.S. standards for determination of inventorship.
- 3. Although no known error was made in naming ISABEL MARCO MARTINEZ as an inventor in International Patent Application No. PCT/EP2005/000840 for countries other than the U.S., I understand that an error may have been made in identifying ISABEL MARCO MARTINEZ as an inventor/applicant for the U.S. only. I hereby attest that any such error occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

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STATEMENT OF BELLINDA BENHAMU SALAMA UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d)(1)

I, BELLINDA BENHAMU SALAMA, hereby state:

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STATEMENT OF JOAQUIN DEL RIO ZAMBRANA UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d)(1)

I, JOAQUIN DEL RIO ZAMBRANA, hereby state:

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Joaquin Del Rio Zambrana

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I, DIANA FRECHILLA MANSO, hereby state:

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I, ISABEL MARCO MARTINEZ, hereby state:

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